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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: Willibald Schurz et al.
Serial No.: 10/595,153
Date Filed: March 7, 2006
Group Art Unit: 2834
Confirmation No.: 3418
Examiner: Rosenau, Derek John
Title: **CONTACTED PIEZOACTUATOR**

MAIL STOP – AF
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION

In response to the Final Office Action mailed August 6, 2008, Applicants respectfully submit the following remarks and request favorable action thereon.

Pending Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 5 of this paper.